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1. In mid-November 1950, Chinese Communist authorities established "Veterans Recreational Stations" in the Hangchow and Chinhua (119-39, 29-07) areas to recruit former Chinese Communist officers and men recently demobilized because of physical unfitness. * These officers and men after rejoining the army were not permitted to wear the regular Chinese Communist Army insignia.
2. On 23 November 1,320 demobilized Chinese Communist troops left Nanping (118-08, 26-39) for Shangjao (117-54, 28-26) en route to their homes as follows:**

770 to Fukien
150 to Szwchuan
150 to Kiangsu
130 to Honan
120 to Shantung

25X1A * [REDACTED] Comment. There have been numerous reports of increased military recruiting by Chinese Communists during October and November. See [REDACTED]

25X1A ** [REDACTED] Comment. These troops were probably demobilized because of physical unfitness.

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